

City of Moultrie Water Supply Infrastructure (\$500,000). I would ban earmarks as we know them, but as long as these earmarks are available, I'm going to apply for them in an effort to pursue federal funding opportunities for my district. For non-defense projects in the current earmarking system, I work closely with local governments, civic organizations, non-profits and business development authorities to identify and prioritize projects important to local communities in Georgia's Eighth Congressional District (and sometimes elsewhere). I only request funds for projects authorized by law for federal funding and do not do so for private parties or entities. This project will improve the city's sewer system so it can divert excess storm water into a reservoir for eventual treatment and release. This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because upgrading the system will help ensure the city meets the Georgia Environmental Protection Division's standards and handle increased demands coming from a new poultry processing facility and a new industrial park. Beneficiary: City of Moultrie, City Hall, P.O. Box 3368, Moultrie, GA 31776.